

# 2011 Legislation

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**Wednesday, June 22, 2011**  
**House Chamber, Capitol Building**  
Frankfort, Kentucky

## PROGRAM

7:55 AM – 8:00 AM

### **Welcome and Introduction**

*Norman Lawson*  
*Judiciary Committee Staff Administrator*  
*Legislative Research Commission*

8:00 AM – 11:30 AM

### **The Work of the Task Force on the Penal Code and Controlled Substances Act**

➤ 8:00 – 9:00

### **The National Picture and the Challenges Facing Kentucky**

*Sen. Tom Jensen, Chair*  
*Senate Judiciary Committee*  
*Task Force Co-chair*

*Hon. Jason Newman*  
*Public Safety Performance Project*  
*Pew Center on the States*

*Meghan Guevara*  
*Crime and Justice Institute*

➤ 9:00 – 9:15

### **Break**

➤ 9:15 – 10:15

### **Background and Recommendations of the Task Force**

#### *Task Force Members:*

*Sen. Tom Jensen, Chair*  
*Senate Judiciary Committee*  
*Task Force Co-chair*

*Rep. John Tilley, Chair*  
*House Judiciary Committee*  
*Task Force Co-chair*

*Chief Justice John D. Minton, Jr.*  
*Supreme Court of Kentucky*

*Hon. J. Michael Brown, Secretary*  
*Justice and Public Safety Cabinet*

*Hon. J. Guthrie True*  
*Johnson, True & Guarnieri*  
*Frankfort, KY*

*Hon. Tom Handy*  
*Commonwealth's Attorney*  
*27th Judicial District (1990 - 2003)*

➤ 10:15 – 11:30 **HB 463: The Public Safety and Offender Accountability Act**

*Task Force Members*

11:30 AM – 1:00 PM      **Lunch Break**

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM      **2011 Kentucky General Assembly Legislative Update**

*Sen. Tom Jensen, Chair  
Senate Judiciary Committee*

*Rep. John Tilley, Chair  
House Judiciary Committee*

*Hon. Jon Grate  
Judiciary Committee Analyst  
Legislative Research Commission*

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM      **Risk Assessment & Case Management in the  
Department of Corrections**

*Dr. Elizabeth McKune  
Assistant Director  
Division of Mental Health and Substance Abuse  
Department of Corrections*

3:00 PM – 3:15 PM      **Break**

3:15 PM – 4:15 PM      **Legislative and Executive Branch Ethics for Kentucky  
Attorneys      (*Ethics Portion of CLE*)**

*Hon. John Schaaf  
General Counsel  
KY Legislative Ethics Comm.*

*Hon. John Steffen  
Executive Director  
Executive Branch Ethics Comm.*

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